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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration
of the rejections set forth in the May 4, 2005 Office
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Remarks begins on page 2 of the Reply.